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Col. Basile Takes Command With Focus On The Future



174th Rifle Team Scores A Bullseye

Air Force Announces "Parent Program"



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174th
Fighter Wing
Vision and
Mission
Statements



Vision Statement

Our Vision is a world class fighter wing comprised of diverse individuals empowered to meet all challengers, and win. We accept nothing less.

Mission Statement

Provide combat ready personnel, aircraft, and equipment prepared for world wide deployment. To deter or attack and destroy enemy surface and airborne forces in support of joint operations; and to support civil authorities at the direction of the governor.

COMMANDER'S COMMENTS

ven though I've written numerous articles for this column over the years, writing THIS article, for MY column, seems vastly different. My previous words to you, offered as a fill-in while the Commander was TDY, covered such topics as ORIs, UCIs, AEFs, safety and the 101 Critical Days of Summer. Now that I am writing this column as the Commander, you can expect words on the same topics, as we will continue to have ORIs, UCIs and AEFs, and you will always know that I was a former Chief of Safety. But I will save these topics for future articles.

My biography notes that I have served in nearly a dozen positions in the 174th over the years. That's what normally happens when you spend a lot of time in one organization. As I came up through the ranks in all of these jobs, I had the opportunity to learn from the old heads (of which I have become) that came and went before me. My military education has been provided by Colonels and Chief Master Sergeants, Lieutenants and Airmen. I have been fortunate to have worked with some of the legends of the 174th, names that many of you would be unfamiliar with, but individuals that had much to do with the success that this Wing currently enjoys. I have taken something from every one of these mentors in my military upbringing, in order to preserve the heritage and tradition of the

174th, most notably excellence. I ask all of you to help me continue in that quest.

To Colonel Knauff, you have positioned the Wing on a very strong footing. Thank you. I know that I have large shoes to fill to be able to hand to my successor that same enjoyable positioning. Driving to that end will be my pledge to you, and to the men and women of this organization.



174th FW, Commander

To my wife, Carol, and daughters Lindsay, Meghan and Jordan, thank

you for all you have endured so far during my military career, and all that you will endure during this time consuming assignment that I have worked towards for so many years.

After 24 years of military service, all of it as a member of this organization, I have been given the unbelievable opportunity to serve as Commander, 174th Fighter Wing. No matter where my career goes from here, I will NEVER have a position that I am more proud of.

AF Says Thank you to Mom and Dad By Chief Master Sgt. Ted Mosley, 174th FW Command Chief



"With public sentiment, nothing can fail. Without it, nothing can succeed." President Abraham Lincoln's words are true today as they were in his own time, and as America's airmen face the great challenges of the war on terrorism, our success will certainly depend on the support of the American

people. As families, employers, and communities across the

nation share the burdens of our service, it is critical the commanders at every level reach out to cultivate the relationships that form the foundation of public support for our airmen. To assist them and their staffs in this important work, we (USAF) have developed Your Guardians of Freedom, a Total Air Force program that will ease the logistical burden of building and sustaining those relationships.

On May 5, 2003, the Secretary of the Air Force, James G. Roche and Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. John P. Jumper launched a service wide campaign to thank the parents of America's airmen for their support of their children's service. The Air Force Parent Pin- or "P" pin program encourages airmen to register on a secure Air Force web

site, www.yourguardiansoffreedom. com, where they can provide the names and addresses of up to two parents (or parental figures). Shortly thereafter, the airmen's parents receive personalized letters from the Secretary Roche and General Jumper containing high-quality lapel pins displaying the letter "P" cra-

> dled in the Air Force symbol. I highly encourage all members to take advantage of this service.



Command Chief Master Sgt. Mosley



On a different note, I want to comment on our change of Command Ceremony on Sunday of the May UTA. It has been an honor to serve Col. (BG select) Knauff these past several years. We met during trying times, and he put his trust in the Chiefs of the base to get us through the reorganization. He told us what needed to be done and we did it with his support. I look forward to serving our new Commander and will pledge the same support. My best wishes to both Commanders in their future endeavors.



Chaplain's Corner

By Chaplain (Maj.) Tim Bejian, Northeast Air Defense Sector

Have you ever had those nagging little feelings that just wouldn't go away, no matter how much time goes by? Some people like to think that these feelings are just coincidence—whether they prove true or not. Others, like myself, think that these nagging little feelings are God's attempts to get our attention. You may be thinking that this only applies to religious matters. Not so! The Lord cares about all aspects of your life. Let me give you a personal example.

Recently I had some remodeling work done on my house. One of the rooms involved had a metal fireplace made by "Majestic." During the remodeling, the contractor asked if we wanted to keep it or pull it out to make the room larger and more usable. My wife thought that it might lessen the value of our house if

it was removed, but left the decision with me. We have been in that house for 8 years and during that whole time I probably haven't used that fireplace more than a dozen times. Not because I don't like fireplaces, just the opposite. There is nothing better than sitting on a couch with your significant other watching a bright cozy fire in a darkened room. But during those 8 years I never had a sense of peace about that fireplace. Because of this, every time I used it I would make sure that the fire was pretty much burned out before I went to bed. So when the contractor asked if I wanted it out I said yes - and I'm glad that I listened to that still, small voice that had nagged me for 8 years. Unseen behind the wall, the contractor discovered that the people who installed the metal fireplace never surrounded it with a firewall. They framed it in place

with wood 2/4s directly in contact with the metal. Some of these 2/4s were completely charred through. It is just by the Grace of God that the house had not burned down.



Chaplain (Maj.) Tim Bejian

The lesson for us all

is this. The next time you hear that still, small voice nagging you about something, whether it concerns Faith or not, ask yourself, "is God trying to tell me something." He may just be! As I said, He cares about everything in your life, not just religious matters.

May the Lord whisper in your ear often.

A Note from the Chaplain's Office

The 174 FW/HC is offering the TRAINED CRISIS RESPONDER (TCR) COURSE: Terrorism and Disaster Response

Critical Incident Stress is not limited to combat or active terrorist related psychological trauma as many experienced on 9/11. Acute/Critical Incident Stress can be experienced by a single person or an entire group. No one is immune to such stress. It is the result of experiencing or witnessing any kind of traumatic event: combat; accidents that result in

serious or fatal injuries; violent crime; acts of terror; the death of a family member; natural events: storms, floods, tornados, fires, where loss of property and or life is involved and others, the list is extensive.

WHEN: Saturday the 16th and Sunday the 17th of August, 2003, 0745-1615 both days

WHERE: CC Conference Room

WHO: We are looking to train 20 people from service related fields: firefight-

ers, police officers, security, medical personnel, family support, emergency medical responders, and food services...

WHY: To have in your tool bag, the tool of coping with critical incident induced stress and to be able and ready to help those in need during disastrous times

PLEASE CONTACT: The Chaplains office at x642 with your name, supervisors name (please obtain approval from them), rank, office symbol, e-mail and extension we can reach you at.



Maj. Gen. (Ret) Paul Schempp, Chairmen of the Central New York Committee for the Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (ESGR) and Tom Shaw, ESGR Committee member presented Brigadier General (Select) Robert A. Knauff a pair of DOD cuff links as a thank you for all his ESGR support while he served as Commander of the 174th Fighter Wing.



174th Rifle Team Excels at Recent Statewide Competition

By Capt. Jim Oaksford, 174th FW Rifle Team Member



Capt. Jim Oaksford

S even members of the 174th FW Rifle Team participated in the New York Military Forces Combat Competition on 25, 26 and 27 April 2003 located in Camp Smith, Peekskill, NY. Year after year the team

achieves both Team Awards and Individual Awards, with 2003 as no exception. This competitive event brings together Military Rifle Teams from the Army Guard, Air Guard, and Naval Reserves across New York State. The longstanding members devoted to our 174th Rifle Team display the finest of marksmanship, as well as encourage young airman to become participants. The awards displayed on the wall in the hangar from 1996 to 2003 demonstrate

the teams' dedication, their courage to compete, their devotion to teach, and their desire to win.

As a team member myself, I would like to share with you some of the events which occurred this year. We brought to the competition a unit issued weapon, M16-original, with the sights set and ready. We were all notified at the line that ammunition for our issued weapons was not available. We were given a choice; don't compete or use Army weapons, M16-A2's. These Army weapons were not sighted and some of us had never even fired an M16-A2 weapon. In the face of the odds against us, we had no choice but to use the Army M16-A2's. Winning at this competition is never easy. However, what makes these accomplishments so special is that they were achieved with only two sighter shots and unfamiliar weapons. Normally when you qualify with the

M16, you are given a minimum of ten sighter shots.

Please join me in congratulating the 2003 awards winners.

Combat Rifle, Grand Aggregate: Master Sgt. Dennis Reinhard

Excellence in Competition: Master Sgt.

Dennis Reinhard

Combat Rifle, Match 101: Master Sgt. Dennis Reinhard

Excellence in Competition: 3rd Place, Pistol Leg Match, Tech..Sgt Bruce Rounds

Combat Rifle Team Match: Master Sgt. M. Macconghy, Master Sgt. D. Reinhard, Master Sgt V. Francis, Staff Sgt D. LeClair

We encourage all that may be interested in participating in the 174 FW Rifle Team to contact Master Sgt. Dennis Reinhard at 454-6687.



The 174th Pistol Team, from left to right are Master Sgt. Don Croft, Tech Sgt. Rick Ashly, Maj. Gen. Thomas P. Maguire Jr., NY State Adjutant General, Staff Sgt. Steve Sobus and Tech Sgt. Bruce Rounds. Sgt. Rounds took 3th place in his first ever completion.



The 2003 174th Rifle Team from left to right are Staff Sgt. David LeClair, Master Sgt. Vic Francis, Maj. Gen. Thomas P. Maguire Jr., NY State Adjutant General, Staff Sgt. Mark McConghy and Master Sgt. Dennis Reinhard.

New York State Fair 2003

By Chief Master Sgt. David D Heckman, State Fair Project Manager

The NYS Fair is just 3 1/2 months away and planning is underway to continue the excellent reputation of past years. We are working on some changes to improve the display and will need support from all sections to make this years exhibit a continued success. The goals for this years exhibit will focus on recruiting, image and patriotism. First

and foremost we must use this venue as a recruiting opportunity to sustain the Wing Mission. Second, we will do this while presenting a professional image of the ANG and the U.S. Military. Finally, we will promote patriotism through flag sales, historical displays and support to the veterans associations represented at the fair.

Myself, Senior Master Sgt. Fox and Master Sgt. Weiler are looking forward to working with all of the units involved. Please forward any questions or concerns via e-mail or phone to one of the previously mentioned NCOs. Thanks for your past and future efforts.































Change of Command Ceremony 4 May 2003





















174th Fighter Wing Family Readiness Chat



irst welcome home members of the 174th FW Security Forces Squadron, Capt. Richard Dix and Staff Sgt. Gregory Hallinan. Also welcome home the deployed members of the 152nd Air Operations Group. Job Well Done!!

Please visit the Family Readiness office upon your return for many programs available to you and your families: Welcome Home guide provided by the Red Cross,

Return and Reunion guide written by the Air Force Crossroads, "Getting Back Together-Homecoming Reunion VCR Tape, Information and directions for the Vet Center, phone: 478-7127, Online brochures "Homecoming: Resilience after Wartime" http://helping.apa.org/resilience/homcoming.html and more information available in Family Readiness office.

When the war is over, stress and uncertainty can require the skills of resilience both from those members returning home and those families that stay behind. Resilience is defined as the ability to adapt well in the face of adversity, trauma, crises, threats, harsh winter conditions and other major sources of stress. Reunions with families and return to work is often idealized as quick, smooth transitions and sometimes realities may fall short of the ideal reunions. There are many resources available at the Family Readiness office to assist you and your families during this time of transition. Please call or stop in for assistance.

THANK YOU to all the military members of the 174 Fighter Wing and families for their participation in the recent March of Dimes Walk for America on April 27th, 03.

Anheuser-Busch offers free admission to Theme Parks

Operation Salute will begin Friday May 23, 2003 thru Tuesday Nov. 11, 2003 this program allows a one-time complimentary admission to Busch Gardens Williamsburg, Busch Gardens Tampa, Sea World Orland, Sea World San Antonio, Sea World San Diego and Sesame Place in Langhorne PA. Military personnel and 4 direct dependents will be given one days admission free. For more information contact Family Readiness.

Gift of Groceries

Are you looking for a great way to support the troops? Why not support their families here at home with a "Gift of Grocer-This program is through the Defense Commissary Agency. Gift certificates can be purchased by anyone to give to military families authorized to shop at the Commissary. Certificates can be purchased by calling toll free 877-770-4438 or log onto www.commissaries.com for more information.

Bored? Too much time on your hands? How can you help a our families? Why not volunteer for the Family Readiness Office call 454-6577 for more information

Upcoming Events

- · 11 May Mother's Day
- 16 May- Military Appreciation Day Mattydale Legion
- 17 May- Armed Forces Day
- 26 May- Memorial Day

<u>Helpful Web Sites</u>

www.ang.af.mil www.guardfamily.org www.defenselink.mil www.dol.gov/vets

http://esgr.org www.tricare.osd.mil www.mytricare.com www.USFHPSVCMC.org US Family Health Plan Website www.ucci.com

Air National Guard Website National Guard Family Program Department of Defense Website Department of Labor Veteran's **Education and Training Service** Employer Support of the Guard TRICARE Benefits Website MyTricare-Check Claims Status

United Concordia TRICARE

Dental Program

A HUGE Thanks to Tech. Sgt. Melinda Haines & Staff Sgt. Rich Fowler and for their OUTSTANDING support for Family Support during the last six months especially for our recent Family Support events.

174th Security Forces Squadron family members enjoying McGruff the Crime Fighting Dog at the recent March Of Dimes Walk event.



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Capt. Ed Daley, 174th Fighter Wing Firefighter and his Family at the recent March of Dimes Walk.

BASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Services Club

The "**Jam Band**" will be performing on Saturday, 7 June at the All Services Club. They are an eight piece band and play a variety of great music. Come join the fun!

Free admission for those that have a current club card...all others \$3.00. You can purchase a club card for \$10.00 at the door or contact Master Sgt. Rita Scheirer at 454.6606.

We hold a drawing every Saturday night of the UTA for current club members. You must be present to win. The cash prize starts at \$25 and increases \$10 per month if we do not have a winner for that month. Show up this drill – hey you never know – this could be your lucky month.

The All Services Club will be moving sometime in the near future. A large part of the moving expense and building expense will be coming from our fund raising. Please remember this when we offer raffle tickets each month. It's your club - please support it!

Future events: Get your team together for Volleyball each month. The playoffs will be in August. July we will have Labatt's Blue Night with the Labatt's Girls.

SHAH Scholarship

It is time for the annual SHAH Scholarship announcement and application. Brigadier General & Mrs. SHAH have again generously granted two scholarships this year, each for \$1000.00. The scholarship is for undergraduate degrees **only**.

The application for the 2003-2004 academic year can be obtained at the 174th FW Retention Office. Deadline for the applications are due to the Judge Advocate Office, HQ NYANG no later than 30 May 2003.

Any questions or concerns call Master Sgt. Mary Gilchriest, at 454.6161.



Chief Master Sgt. Richard Carpenter, 152^{nd} Air Operations Group, welcomes his wife home, Master Sgt. Janet Carpenter, from involvement with Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. Also pictured is Master Sgt. Carpenters mother, Betty Lauri.

VOLLEYBALL!!!

It's that time of year again!
So get your teams together
and start crushing the ball!!!!
WHERE--- All Services Club
WHEN--- Every Drill Weekend
MAY--- Practice

JUNE--- Have Team Names and Rosters Ready JULY--- Get Grudges Going AUGUST--- All Out Tournament SEPTEMBER--- Rematches

WHY--- Support Team Spirit

WHO--- Hancock Field...Military Personnel Only. HOW--- Same Rules as Last Year!

Contact Master Sgt. Lathrop 454-6685 or Tech. Sgt. Fleury 454-6680 Before June Drill.

May UTA Pay Date: 15 May 2003

Next UTA 7 & 8 June 2003



174th Fighter Wing Dining Facility Hours

1030 - 1300

Please see OPORD for menu

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE FOOD SERVICE

COMREL SPEAKER

Mr. Bill Pomeroy, CEO of CABLExpress will be the quest speaker for June's Barbara Aronson 174th FW Community Re-

lations Luncheon. CABLExpress Techgrew from a one-company that em-Syracuse. CABLExgenerates close to nual sales by speing value-addeding solutions. Please



Mr. Pomeroy started nologies in 1978 and person operation to a ploys 300 people in press Technologies \$100 million in ancializing in providcomputer networkjoin us, Wednesday

June 25, 2003 at Wing Dining Hall...Doors open at 11:30 p.m. Cost \$7.50 for a wonderful buffet luncheon. Proceeds to go the Rescue Mission Syracuse. All are welcome!!

A New Concept of Chemical Warfare Defense Operations (CWCONOPS)

By Lt.Col. Carey Merritt, 174th FW Support Group Executive Officer

*** Please read this article if you care about surviving, otherwise skip it ***



G enerally, one should not have to tell a reader when or when not to read an article in the EnGarde. However, reading about Chemical Warfare Defense Operations is not very interesting reading. This new training concept is coming and will likely dominate our readiness training over the next few years.

Lt Col Carey Merritt

Here are six highlights:

- The biggest potential chemical attack on American forces is a ballistic missile that will likely explode above the earth and disperse a chemical into billions of micro sized droplets.
- 2. Most chemicals are absorbed into concrete, asphalt and grass; therefore minimizing the spread of contamination and making decon very difficult.
- 3. With good modeling we can better predict the down wind hazard area therefore, not all of the base may be in the same protective posture. (i.e. MOPP level)
- 4. Chemical detection is not as simple as we thought everyone must become a detector and know what to do.
- 5. Our Intelligence and Disaster Preparedness experts will be relied upon even more in the future.
- 6. This new method of training will be different, confusing at first and require a much higher attention to detail by the folks in the field.

More details to come in the future months. We have been mandated by ACC to re-train our entire base populace by June 03, and conduct an ORE using this new Con-ops by December 03. Will you be ready?

A Fond Farewell

A fter 16 years with the 174th Fighter Wing Base Exchange (BX), Maureen Hubbard (affectionately known

as 'Mo") will be leaving to accept a new job. We want to thank you, Maureen, for all your patience and service and wish continued success.

Congratulations Mo!!

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LifeTIme Awards Program

Lifetime Network produced it's first annual 'Lifetime Awards...Women Changing the World'. As part of the program there was a tribute to women and families in the military. At the request of the Lifetime Channel producers The Secretary of the Air Force Public Affairs requested family profiles from Air Force units all over the country. The 174th FW Public Affairs Office and The 174th FW Family Readiness Team submitted the family of Tech Sgt. Bill Schroeder, Staff Sgt. Tracey Schroeder (both members of the 174th Security Forces Squadron) and Samantha Schroeder, their 12 year old daughter. The programs executive producers selected the Schroeder family from hundreds of considerations. The Schroeder's will appear on the Lifetime Awards program Thursday, 22 May 2003. Above, Samantha Schroeder is talking to one of the programs co-producers and writer, Sara Lukinson about her role on the program. Dad (Tech Sgt. Bill Schroeder) is proudly looking on.

From Hancock Field to Football Field

TSgt Troy Canada from the 174th Medical Squadron played for the Vermont Ice Storm Semi-Pro Football Team which won the New England Football League Championship for the 2002 season. TSgt Canada, a Wide Receiver, was named the Offensive MVP for his team and nomi-



1-800-883-4484

nated MVP of the NEFL for the 2002 season. TSgt Canada was involved in Community Service with the team as they organized various functions such as raising money for Multiple Sclerosis, local Food Drives, and delivering Christmas toys to the Fletcher Allen Hospital located in Burlington, Vermont. TSgt Canada lives in Plattsburg, NY and is employed at Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital.



<u>VA Reduces SGLI Premiums</u> <u>for Military Family Coverage</u>

American Forces Press Service reports that the Department of Veterans Affairs has announced that premiums for the Service members Group Life Insurance will be reduced, handing military members a few extra dollars in their pockets each month. Beginning in July, the cost for a \$250,000 policy — the maximum coverage -- will drop from \$20 to \$16.25 monthly, a \$3.75 savings. The Department of Veterans Affairs reports that rates for Veterans Group Life Insurance will not change. The largest saving will go to spouses between 35 and 39 years old, whose premiums will be nearly cut in half. Service members currently pay \$13.00 for a \$100,000 family policy. That policy will cost \$7.50 beginning in July - a \$5.50 savings. The reduced rates means a military family will save an average of \$100 a year. The VA estimates that service members collectively will save about \$96 million annually in premiums, and \$42 million in family coverage premiums each year. Information about the change in SGLI premiums can be found at http://www.insurance.va.gov, or call the Office of Servicemembers Group Life Insurance toll-free at 1-800-419-1473.

IRS Information on Combat Zone Tax Provisions

Stars and Stripes reports that the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has created a new section on its Website containing important information to help ensure members of the U.S. Armed Forces serving in a combat zone get all of the tax benefits available to them. The new information is available on the front page of http://www.irs.gov by clicking on "Armed Forces Tax Benefits." The new section highlights several special tax provisions that apply to those in combat, which can include extensions for filing tax returns and paying taxes and exclusion of some military pay from taxes. Included is a special e-mail address for members of the U.S. Armed Forces, their spouses, authorized agents or representatives, which can be used to notify the IRS about someone serving in a combat zone. For more information, see http://www.stripes.com/03/ apr03/irsrelease.doc. For more on military tax benefits and discounts on tax services, see http://www.military.com/Finance/ Taxes/

<u>Family Separation, Imminent Danger Pays</u> Increased Retroactively

Stars and Stripes reports that President Bush has signed a wartime defense supplemental bill that raises military Family Separation Allowance by \$150 a month and Imminent Danger Pay by \$75 a month, retroactive to Oct. 1, 2002. Almost 200,000 servicemembers drawing Family Separation Allowance will see the pay jump from \$100 a month to \$250. Anyone eligible for FSA back through October will receive back pay as soon as military finance centers can implement the change. At least 250,000 military personnel draw Imminent Danger Pay of \$150 a month. That will rise, by 50 percent, to \$225, and again the increase will be retroactive to October. Many of the eligible will include attendees at stateside service schools, on temporary duty assignments or deployed aboard ship or with aircraft squadrons, regardless of theater. For more on pay benefits, see http://www.military.com/Resources/ ResourceFileView?file=Active_Duty_Pay.htm

Bill Seeks Tuition Refunds for Reserves and Guard

Stars and Stripes reports that Rep. Martin Frost, D-Texas, has introduced a bill that would give refunds to activated reservists and guardsmen enrolled in colleges and universities, but unable to attend because they were called into service. The bill, H.R. 1323, titled "Reservists and National Guard Opportunities and Protection of Education Act," calls for institutions of higher education to refund tuitions and fees to students called up for active duty; grant students a military leave of absence, and restore students' academic statuses with regard to credits earned, scholarships or grants when they return to their schooling. Roughly 30 percent of all Reserves and guardsmen are enrolled in colleges, universities or other institutions of higher learning. The bill will be referred to the House Education and Work Force Committee. No hearing or decision date has been set for Congress to work on the bill. For more on education benefits, a scholarship database, a school finder, and more, visit http://www.military.com/Education/SchoolLocator? ESRC=mr.nl

New members from November 2002 to April 2003

SRA Joseph Gardiner, AGS
SSgt Thomas Wood, CES
SRA Allison Orth, FW
SRA Nicholas Delahant, MAI
A1C Jason Treasure, MAI
SRA Claudine Moreno, MSF
A1C April Wilburn, Stu Flight
A1C Patrick Cooney, Stu Flight
A1C John Kritzer, Stu Flight
SSgt Eric Webb, 274th ASOS

SRA Bradford Hunter, AGS SRA Geoffrey Hoyt, CF SRA George Mailloux, LGS SRA Jankonise Jones, MAI SRA Ryan Kenefick, MAI SRA Nivea Jackson, SFS A1C Todd Chisamore, Stu Flight A1C Joshua Damon, Stu Flight A1C Anthony Scuderi, Stu Flight Capt Glen Hisert, 274 ASOS A1C Nathan Hamlin, CES TSgt Matthew Rose, Det 2 A1C Leanne Holmes, LGS SSgt Carl Robbins, MAI AMN Felicia Phillips, MD A1C Gary Dick, Stu Flight A1C Skylar Daley, Stu Flight A1C Patricia Garrity, Stu Flight

Welcome!

18th Sikora Memorial Golf Tournament

Friday June 20th - 0800 Shotgun Start

\$34.00 each or \$138.00 a foursome



Price includes: Greens Fees, Cart, Burgers, Dogs and Refreshments at the turn and you may even see a roving refreshment cart.

50/50 Raffle

Prizes; Closest to the pin, Longest Drive both Men and Women

Contacts: Mark Shearer 454-6817, David Galloway 454-6816 or Mark Graham 454-6462

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